

FEC Regional Conference – Tampa, FL



for House & Senate Campaigns, Political Party Committees
and Corporate/Trade/Labor PACs

February 11–12, 2014



Tuesday, February 11, 2014

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| 8:00 - 9:00 AM | Registration & Breakfast |
| 9:00 - 9:15 AM | Welcome |
| 9:15 - 9:30 AM | Break |
| 9:30 - 10:45 AM | Basics & Best Practices, Part 1 <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Organization of committees• Contributions and expenditures• Filing information |
| 10:45 - 11:00 AM | Break |
| 11:00 AM - 12:15 PM | Basics & Best Practices, Part 2 <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Working with your Analyst• Recommended internal controls• Getting help from the FEC |
| 12:15 - 1:15 PM | Networking Lunch <p>An opportunity to discuss questions and common issues with fellow attendees.</p> |
| 1:30 - 3:00 PM | Team Workshops – Committee Operations, Part 1:
<i>(Please choose based on the organization you represent)</i>

Option A: House/Senate Campaigns: Fundraising <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Fundraising and solicitations• Permissible sources of contributions• Curing excessive contributions |

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Option B: Political Party Committees: Fundraising and Supporting the Party

- Raising federal funds
- Using corporate/labor resources and facilities
- Nonfederal fundraising by federal candidates

Option C: Corporate/Labor/Trade PACs: Organization and Solicitation Basics

- Restricted class
- Solicitation notices
- Collection of contributions

3:00 - 3:15 PM

Break

3:15 - 4:00 PM

FEC Jeopardy

A fun, interactive session reviewing material presented during the first day of the conference.

Wednesday, February 12, 2014

8:00 - 9:00 AM

Breakfast

9:00 - 10:30 PM

Team Workshops — Committee Operations, Part 2:

Option A: House/Senate Campaigns: Fundraising (continued)

- Volunteer exemptions
- Earmarked and in-kind contributions
- Support from the candidate

Option B: Political Party Committees: Supporting Candidates

- Party support of federal candidates
- Coordinated communications & independent expenditures
- Joint Fundraising

Option C: Corporate/Labor/Trade PACs: Solicitation Techniques

- Raffles, auctions and events
- Meetings and conventions
- Online fundraising

10:30 - 10:45 AM

Break

Wednesday, February 12, 2014 (continued)

10:45 AM – 12:30 PM Team Workshops – Committee Operations, Part 3:

Option A: House/Senate Campaigns: Use of Campaign Funds and Candidate Involvement Outside of Federal Elections

- Campaign operating expenses
- Use of campaign funds
- Candidate involvement outside of federal elections

Option B: Political Party Committees: Federal Election Activity and Paying Committee Expenses

- Levin funds and Federal Election Activity (FEA)
- Paying Bills and reporting expenses
- Allocating expenses

Option C: Corporate/Labor/Trade PACs: Supporting Candidates

- In-kind contributions
- Permitted use of organization's facilities and resources
- Coordinated communications & independent expenditures

12:30 - 1:30 PM

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1:30 - 3:15 PM

Recent Developments in the Law

- Corporate/Labor Spending, Super PACs and Hybrid PACs
- Litigation and Rulemaking Updates

3:15 - 3:30 PM

Break

3:30 - 4:00 PM

That's a Wrap: Final Q & A